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Part B for July 27.

SUBJECT

Improvement of the water-supply to Chikmagalur Town.

No. 162-4 dt. 12-7-27 The Executive Engineer, Bhadra Project, Kannada

I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of the Establishment regarding the above subject.

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Rc 211 B 8/5/26 from the D.C Hooghly Reports that the Mun. Cl. Chinsurah & Cha... purpose to place a sum of Rs 37,000 for sanitary & supplicate scheme for water supply to the town & for the Drainage Scheme & requests that a little fund may be Contributed by Govt so that the Drainage work may be [illegible] & the work taken in hand at once.

Subj. It is ascertained from the Chief Engineer's office that the Drainage Scheme is under Scrutiny & that Sanction has not yet been accorded to the estimate. It is perhaps too early to [illegible] allot funds towards the project.

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2 The Mun. Council of Chinsurah wants to utilise a Balance of Rs 30000 in the Sanitary water supply project in a Sanitary Main for the water supply and for the Drainage purposes of the town for which the Council are prepared to make Rs 7000 available. The project is estimated to cost 5 lakhs & the Council wants to spread the expenditure for a number of years. Govt is asked to make a Grant of Rs 37000. Recommended with a view Govt may [illegible]

from perusal the file it appears that 27-11-16 = [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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It does not seem possible for Govt to Combat locally & any such reasons suggestions before the project is actually prepared & the Municipal Council should submit proposals for carrying out the work in future years with reference to their financial Considerations & the Capacity of their Revenues to meet the Loan & the Contributions they would be asked to raise. The Engineering aspect of matters may perhaps be taken up separately & considered apart from the drainage project of the Municipality. The work urgently, and if they want to take it up with drainage project. Govt may instruct they may also be asked to send up Complete proposals after the project is prepared.

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3 The whole drainage scheme should be carefully scrutinized by the Chief Engineer & the details as to cost &c should be ascertained before Govt can commit itself to any definite quota

4 As it is the Council is not defended as to the plan of working out the scheme prepared by the Sanitary Engineer

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Mr Comd may perhaps be asked to formulate a defence scheme to prepare a programme for carrying out the scheme within a defence period.

5 The Govt may consider the question of the extension of the scheme to Quetta It seems useful to obtain the proposal in this form

6 As for restoration of the old reservoir the question of its restoration to be left to the Govt

2796/17/5

For Govt 17/5

The proposal of the Comd may be sent WO to Chief Engineer for favour of remarks

Ltr 20/5/26

Wire 20/5

OFFICE OF CHIEF ENGINEER Regd No 12934 Date 26.5.26 FOR ARIC

Forwarded unofficially to Chief Engineer for favour of remarks

By order
D'Lovett Lt Col
for Secretary

20/5/26

Ltr No 4489 B 24/5/26

Submitted 24/5/26

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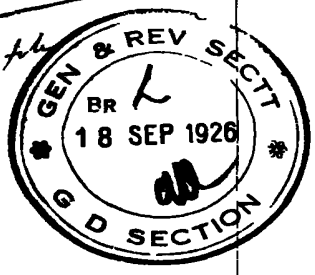

9 Returned, with compliments, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative Departments

(2) The original estimate for improving the water supply to Chickmagalur Town, sanctioned in November 1920 amounts to Rs 2,53,470 This did not provide for Establishment and Tools and Plant charges Towards a moiety of the estimate due by the Municipality, viz , Rs 1,26,735, they have paid only Rs 1,18,000 and odd

(3) The estimate has now been modified as per actual execution, and it amounts to Rs 2,42,000. It provides for Establishment and Tools and Plant charges at 18 per cent on the Municipal portion of the outlay This has been charged in accordance with Government orders relating to the formation of the Special Water Supply Construction Division. The modified estimate is under disposal.

(4) The establishment and Tools and Plant charges payable by the Municipality amount to about Rs 19,000 as per revised estimate The work portion of the estimate amounts to about Rs 2,23,000. The Municipal share will therefore be Rs 2,23,000/2 1,11,500 + Rs 19,000 or Rs 1,30,500 in all. They have paid Rs 1,18,000 and odd as noted in para 2 above, and so they will have to pay nearly Rs 12,500 more towards their share of work.

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(5) There will be thus no savings available from the water supply project for utilisation for the drainage project

(6) The present population of the Town is about 10,000

(7) While preparing the original estimate in 1918 provision has been made for a prospective population of 15,000 The quantity of water supplied to the Town is 120,000 gallons on the average per day, and on Shandy days it is 150,000 The quantity assumed per head per day was 10 gallons, the maximum capacity being 150,000 for a prospective population of 15,000 The Municipality should limit the supply to 100,000 gallons per day for the present population of 10,000 But they are supplying 120,000 to 150,000 gallons which is the maximum quantity for a population of 15,000 Supply should be restricted to the unit of 10 gallons per head There is no fear of shortage of water supply The present source of supply is adequate for the requirements of the Town and there is no necessity to supplement this source

(8) The amount of the drainage project is Rs 4,95,419 It is under scrutiny in this office

Chief Engineer of Mysore
16.9.26

Bangalore,
September 1926.

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Ltr no/1920 & 2/8/26 from the Dist Collector forwarding letter No KE 8 & 24 & 26 from the Chief Executive Officer Town Mun. Cl. requesting that the Mun. Cl. may be exempted from the payment of the Establishment charges on the outlay of the New Scheme for the water supply. the town—

10 Subj. The grounds urged are —

(1) The Mun. Cl. is paying Rs 1246 as interest on the loan every year & is forming a Sinking Fund by allotting Rs 2867 every year towards the discharge of the loan incurred for the new water supply Scheme.

(2) A sum of Rs 33 00 is being paid annually to discharge an old loan of Rs 66 434 raised in 1894 towards the original water supply Scheme. The sum yet due on this loan is reported to be Rs 13078.

(3) The present Scheme also is, it is said, not adequate to meet the demand for water in the town & that the Mun. Cl. has to think of some scheme to augment the supply

(4) The Cl. has under consideration the drainage of the town also. The project is ascertained to be before the Chief Engr. This is an obligatory duty requiring a very heavy outlay.

(5) The prayers of the Mun. Cl are,

1) to waive the demand for Establishment charges referred to above, &—

(2) to refund the excess payment of Rs 713 being the excess paid over the monthly payable

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by Hon'ble the Chief Engineer has also sent a revised estimate for Rs 2,61,655, which includes Estt & Tools & plant charges amounting to Rs 21,755 & not Rs 19000 as noted by the Chief Engineer in his note of Sept'26

12 The points for consideration now are —

1) Whether the taking out of a duplicate main for the securing an adequate water supply to the Chakmaggalur town is necessary.

2) On this point the Chief Engineer says that the existing supply of water is adequate and would suffice for a prospective population of 15,000, the present population of the town being only ~~[illegible]~~ ten thousand

2) Whether Estt, & Tools & plant charges now claimed by the P W D ~~[illegible]~~ for the original water supply of the Chakmaggalur town should be paid

~~[illegible]~~

3) The Mut Cs request that they may be exempted from the charge on the following grounds —

(a) The heavy loans they have to discharge on account of the water supply schemes undertaken.

(b) The high rate of interest they have to pay on these loans &

(c) The inadequacy of water supply for ~~[illegible]~~ them to find means for augmenting the supply

4(a) for the obligatory duty they have to undertake for an adequate drainage

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Schemes.

The Mt. Ch. have been regularly paying the liabilities referred to in the memorandum and have undertaken a number of schemes also involving a very heavy liability, even though the question of Sanitary water supply to the town is forming on the absence of the assurance of the Chief Engr that the present supply is enough to meet the demands of a population of 15000, and must be more than enough for a population of 10,000 under existing.

The Mt. Ch. however urge that water supply to the town is still inadequate even as the address to be presented to His Excellency during his coming visit to the town.

On administrative grounds therefore the request of the Mt. Ch. seems reasonable the Financial Secretary will have perhaps also to be Consulted.

If however this loan is not possible, the work may perhaps be treated as a Contribution work on which 50% charges will have to be calculated as in which case the Municipality will have to pay about Rs 12500 on the account less Rs 8713 already paid by them as excess over the moiety of the cost they had to bear on the project.

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1/ The water supply to the Chickmagalur Town Secretary to the Chief Engineer's letter is dated & have been forwarded with Rs 24153 inclusive of Rs 21788 on account of Tools & Plant & Staff charges against a Departmental estimate of Rs 25-3 (67) 5.

Sanction is first accorded for the actual estimate the many alterations be done In his memorandum the Chief Engineer has given the actual cost as Rs 223000 + 1500 (Tools & Plant charges) The figures given in this estimate could with his letter have perhaps to be accepted

2/ The Municipal engineer Tools & charges drawn by the ~~Executive Engineer~~ of this is done their share of cost with amount to Rs 109889, that they are said to have paid Rs 118600 they will then be entitled to a refund of Rs 8711. If the Tools & charges are not drawn they will have to pay Rs 13077. [According to the memorandum of the Chief Engineer, the figures will be Rs 6500 and Rs 1575 respectively] from the Tools & charges are not completely drawn, at least the Municipal engineer should ascertain from the Executive Engineer before claiming any

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more money which they may under the [illegible] rule of strictly enforced [illegible] It is open to them to levy the charge. The Chief Engineer may also consider in regard to the Sanitary Board water supply their wish to impose similar rate.

Extract from Minute Statement

Requesting a full remission of the Tank Charges and also a further remission of Rs 1308 a year hitherto granted which the Municipality has to pay on account of the loan of Rs 6643 which they have taken from Govt in 1924 & which is being repaid by annual from year to year. The Council wants further improvement to the water supply. They first wanted to utilise the savings for drainage works. The question of drainage is being separately considered now for which revised estimate are pending.

The Agent does not consider that the present water supply is inadequate. He considers that there will be no shortage of water even if 3 or 4 times the present quantity is supplied to the town for domestic purposes.

In the para 5 of his official note, the Chief Engineer considers that for a population of 10000 in the Town, the Council should supply only [illegible] gallons

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last May fixed 12000 to 15000 gallons per day. The Council may therefore be asked to reduce the supply. They will then be no shortage & no necessity to supplement this supply. Should Govt in Consideration when this question may not be accepted if this is accepted then the question of remission of the balance of loan of 1894 amounting to Rs 1307 need not be considered in connection with the water supply.

My opinion of this case has been considered as it was mentioned the Select has Committee. The Council says paid much interest to on this loan. The remission balance in Consideration Council has to pay another to water supply on this they have been paying an annual interest of Rs 1246 at 7% a sinking fund of Rs 2667 per year.

As the Municipal has urged these representations in their proposed add to the Servan Survey has not to the Govt for orders

Sir Percy

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16 The Chief Engineer reports that the final estimate for the Chickmagalur water works amounts to Rs 2,41, 055 as against the original estimate of Rs. 2,53,479 The final estimate may be approved

17 The Municipality has paid Rs 1,18,600, towards their share of the cost of the above works and have still to pay a sum of Rs. 13,000 They point out however that out of the Rs. 2,41,055 referred to above, a sum of Rs. 21,000, approximately is included as tools and plant charges and they request that this should be excluded and the cost of the work fixed at about Rs.2,20,000 This would reduce their contribution to Rs 1,10 000, thus entitling them to the recovery of a sum of Rs. 8,000 and odd from Government

18 The calculation of the tools and plant charges of the Chief Engineer seems to be on the reduced scale of 10½ per cent admissible in the case of contribution works as against the normal 18½ per cent But there have been case in which Government have been pleased to completely waive the recovery of tools and plant charges In the present case, the Chickmagalur Municipality seems to deserve some concession It is not a particularly rich Municipality and yet it has been showing a commendable zeal in the discharge of its duties

19 The next request of the Municipality is that a sum of Rs. 13,000, due by them on a loan of Rs. 66,000 raised by them from the Government in

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	in 1894, may be waived, as they have already paid a sum of Rs 55,355, towards principal, and Rs 59,058, towards interest I am afraid the request is not admissible The interest charged is only 4 per cent and they have paid a large amount in interest because the loan is 34 years old The object of the Municipality in asking for these two concessions, is that they may supplement the water supply of Chickmagalur The Chief Engineer points out that if water is not wasted so lavishly as at present, there is no need whatever for the Municipality to augment its water supply This, may perhaps be communicated to the Municipality

Just Marshall — 28/2

31 I shall be glad to [illegible] papers 'under disposal' are flagged in these old files [illegible] many papers. I can spare 10 minutes [illegible] to find the papers in the Collector's [illegible] letter of 20th July as meant, [illegible] I cannot [illegible]

Please put these [illegible] flagged all over the [illegible] 8948 [illegible] 28/2

31 I am sure Mr Scott makes concessions he waives [illegible] Mr Scott he waives Ct. Charges [illegible] These papers will get [illegible] lose in value I must say, Sir, [illegible] be asked whether Mr Shama Rao [illegible] in the near future, [illegible] person to despatch.

Jan 1st 4/3

Please [illegible] 29.

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38 Thompson's Draft at ma X para 32 separately as instructed & returned

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39 Extract has been taken as directed for further action.

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26/2 36 Mr Mundell wants the warrant of Rs 13078 with the under the hand of Mr Sd with the letter in Extract thereon, which then proceed address to the Secretary from whom the warrant was received & (in duplicate) Copy of the address received in a note here was sent back to Mr Mundell's office

37) Extract)

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38) Refer Para 31

39) The points for consideration are (1) the waiver of the Road & Plant charges & (2) the balance of Boundaries -

(2) Re (1) There would mean so much more contribution by the Govt In all such cases it is desirable to insist on payment of the full Road & Plant charges in cases where Govt considers any Concession necessary give the same in the form of an additional Grant-in-aid

(1) The waiving of R & P Charges has the effect of unnecessarily saving the cost of Road to works on our P.W.D which the Forest are otherwise and they would have done work for municipal & local bodies

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7 MAR 1927
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for which they receive contribution on the shape of P.C. charges nor is the work included in the list of works executed by them for purpose of working out cost of work in P.W.D. to work.

(2) As a general rule it appears to be desirable not to waive these charges.

(3) Re - the other request there is not much ground for giving any concession as pointed out by the advocate. The matter is however for order.

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(4) The request of the Chickmagalur Municipality made in letter of 24th July 1926 to the establishment tools and plant charges (18% on outlay) being waived is I think, reasonable and may be sanctioned. When the estimates were originally sanctioned in 1920 for Rs 2,53 479 the centage charges were not provided for. The municipality agreed to bear half the cost of the estimate and they have fully paid their portion. The work portion of the estimate is now stated to amount to Rs 2,23,000 resulting in a savings of Rs 30.000 over the original

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REPLY TO THE ADDRESSES PRESENTED B THE CHIKMAGALUR TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AN THE KADUR DISTRICT BOARD.

2nd March 1927

GENTLEMEN

Allow me to thank you for the cordial welcome you have extended to me on my firs official visit to your town and for the kind terms in which you have referred to me in your addresses I need hardly say how glad I am of the opportunity of meeting you all I have been eagerly looking forward to visiting your district

In my reply to the address presented to me by the Shimoga Municipal Council I spoke of the problems peculiar to the malnad and of the manner in which Gov ernment proposed to deal with them I need not there fore repeat here what I said on that occasion While I would once again assure you that the well being of the people in these outlying parts of the State will always claim the most earnest attention of Government I must not omit to mention that governmental activities cannot by themselves go very far The work before us is of such a nature that without the willing and active assistance of the local people it will not be possible for Government to achieve satisfactory results I claim therefore your aid and co operation in the great task which now calls for our united energ es

It has been a source of immense gratification to me to observe during my tours in the districts evidences of an earnest desire on the part of the people for progress I have visited some of the remotest corners of the State and have come into close contact with all classes of people The spirit of progress was manifest everywhere—more and better schools—English schools too—more dispensaries better post and telegraph facilities more and better roads and better sanitation These are all indications of a wide awakening among the people, which we must all heartily welcome and foster to the utmost possible extent The greatest asset an individual or a nation can have is

the Spirit of Progre s Without that all else is largely in vain with it every good thing is possible

Coming to the address of the Chikmagalur Municipal Council I am gratified to see that it presents a full picture of your activities I am happy to know that your town is growing in importance and claims with justifiable pride to be one of the cleanest towns in the State I wish to congratulate the successive Municipal Councils on their energy and initiative in improving the water supply drainage and sanitation of the town I have no doubt that the same enlightened policy will be pursued in future and every effort will continue to be made to make Chikmagalur an ideal town in every respect

I understand that a project costing about two and a half lakhs of rupees for improving the water supply to your town was recently completed and that about half the cost of the work was met from the Municipal Council s own resources Your request in this connection, for a refund of certain amounts under tools and plant charges will be favourably considered by Government But, I regret I cannot promise similar consideration to your other request for waiving the recovery of a sum of Rs 13 000 due by you on a loan obtained from Government in 1894 The loan carried a low rate of interest— 4 per cent—and the large sum paid by the Municipality in the shape of interest is easily explained by the fact that the loan is 34 years old As for your request for augmenting your water supply the Public Works Department is of the opinion that with a better system of distribution and avoidance of waste there will be no need for any such project for the present

Good drainage comes next only in importance to a pure water supply I note with pleasure that you have on hand a drainage scheme for your town The project is under scrutiny in the Public Works Department Your request for a contribution from Government of half the cost of the scheme will receive due consideration when the proposal comes before them

You request that a grant of Rs 25 000 may be made out of the allotment for the Development of urban areas for sanitary improvements like closing the Fort trench and opening up congested areas I am not at the moment in a position to say what grant will be made to your district for town improvements next year But I have no doubt that the Deputy Commissioner will

give you a fair share of any grant that may be sanctioned by Government for the purpose

You ask for the re establishment of the Branch Dispensary at Basavanahalli as the people of this and neighbouring villages find it difficult to get medical aid from the District Hospital I understand that the dispensary which had been in existence for 13 years was abolished in 1909 as the Municipality could not afford to pay the maintenance charges Government will be glad to re open the dispensary if the District Board and Municipal Council are prepared to meet the cost of its maintenance

The question of lighting your town by electricity is now being investigated by the Chief Electrical Engineer The scheme according to the rough calculations made by him will I understand cost about Rs 1½ lakhs and provides for 600 house lights 300 street lights and 75 H P for industrial purposes The scheme is likely to pay after deducting operating expenses including depreciation, a net profit of 5 58 per cent on the outlay Whether the Municipal Council should finance the project or whether the Government should do it is a question which will have to be considered The Chief Electrical Engineer is working out details and pending the receipt of the complete scheme I can only say that Government will be very glad if the scheme becomes an accomplished fact soon

You have asked for a grant of Rs 4 000 for an up to date Library to be started in Chikmagalur I understand that a grant of Rs 500 has been recently sanctioned for the purpose to be paid in two equal instalments during the next two years In the circumstances I am afraid that your request for a larger grant is one which Government may not be able to comply with

In regard to your request for the establishment of Land Mortgage Banks in every taluk in the Malnad I would invite your attention to the orders already passed in the matter The scheme is an experimental one and Government wish to proceed cautiously in the matter Further details in regard to the establishment of these banks are to be considered by a Special Committee, which Government propose appointing shortly

I am afraid I can hold out but little hope to you of starting an Intermediate College at Chikmagalur in the near future The question will have to wait until similar Colleges which are to be shortly started in other centres, are fully developed Your request that suitable buildings

should be provided for the various schools in your municipal area is one of those which can only be granted as funds permit Should local help be forthcoming, Government will be in a position to give effect to your desire much sooner than otherwise possible

I fully recognise the necessity of opening up the country by railway communications In this connection, I should like to correct a misapprehension which appears to exist in this district Let me say at once that Government have not come to any decision regarding the Kadur Chikmagalur Railway project I may tell you that detailed surveys are in progress for three alternative alignments between Kadur and Chikmagalur One of these runs through Veerankanve Pass the second through Hoskote Pass and the third *via* Kanvehalli Pass The first and third routes are considered unsuitable from the engineering point of view while the traffic possibilities of the second are still under investigation It is roughly estimated that the cost of constructing this line would come to about Rs 30 lakh As the amount collected from the railway cess so far is only Rs 5¾ lakhs it will be seen that more than three fourths of the cost would have to be borne by Government

Then again the gross earnings on this line are estimated approximately at Rs 63 000 and the working expenses at Rs 45 000 The net earnings would thus amount to only Rs 18 000 which means an annual loss of Rs 48 000 calculated on the basis of a 5 per cent return on the Government share of the outlay At this rate the whole of the District Board's cess for probably many years to come would be required to defray the working expenses of this railway and there would be nothing left to help to finance any further extensions of the line A Traffic Officer is now on the spot investigating the traffic prospects of the different routes and Government will not come to any decision without a careful examination of the results of these surveys and investigations

I have dealt so far with urban affairs But I am glad the address presented by the District Board affords me an opportunity of assuring them that the interests of the rural no less than those of the urban population are always in my mind

You have in your address referred to a few aspects of the District Board's work on some of which I should like to make a few observations

You emphasise the need for the extension of Medical aid Government are not standing still in this matter Three out of the ten new dispensaries promised under the Malnad Improvement Scheme have been recently opened at Bukkambudi Basavikatte and Gonibede in this district and Government are alive to the need for opening more dispensaries in other centres There is a large field here for private benefactions and if they could be secured in reasonable measure the problem of wider medical relief would be rendered easier of solution

You complain of shortage in the supply of quinine in your district From enquiries made I gather that the Medical Department purchases annually quinine of the value of Rs 45 000 and that more than half this quantity is distributed among the three malnad districts of Kadur Hassan and Shimoga In addition to this quinine costing Rs 7 000 is purchased annually by Government out of the Malnad Improvement Grant and supplied to the three districts You will thus see that Government have not been unmindful of the importance of a free distribution of quinine It is just possible that even this supply may not meet the requirements of the district fully In the Mysore District for instance the District Board is largely supplementing the efforts of Government by purchasing and supplying quinine at its own cost May I suggest that your District Board also adopt a similar policy?

You urge the necessity of carrying out a sanitary survey of the Malnad tracts You will be interested to learn that Government have already taken steps in this direction and that a Health Survey of the whole State will be commenced in June next under the auspices of the International Health Board of the Rockfeller Foundation of New York

Government have only recently sanctioned the opening of a Women s Dispensary at Mudgere and I learn from the Senior Surgeon that a Lady Sub Assistant Surgeon has been posted for the charge of the Institution

The District Board s request for an annual grant by Government to enable it to carry on its functions more efficiently has I find been already considered by Government I regret that it will not be possible for Government to commit themselves to a policy of granting annual subventions to local bodies but they will be prepared to consider requests for financial assistance for any specific purpose The other request of the Board is that the

entire collection of mileage cess on motor buses should be turned over to them instead of being distributed as at present according to the mileage of State Municipal, and District Fund Roads I confess to some doubt as to the reasonableness of the request but that will not prevent me from examining it

The constitution of the District Board was revised only last August and it seems to me too soon to think of further revision The present constitution may be given a fair trial and you may wait till actual experience shows what changes are necessary or desirable Your request that the Board may be permitted to elect its own President will be noted for consideration

You refer to certain difficulties in the working of the Village Panchayet Regulation in your district I agree but we must see how best we can overcome these difficulties

Gentlemen let us go ahead in a spirit of undaunted optimism on the principle that what is worth having is worth striving for

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the proposal made in para 4 of their letter may be approved The consent of the Chief Engineer may be As regards the request for the remitting of the balance of Rs 13,000 due by them on a loan of Rs 66,000, I do not find in the file of papers any application by the municipality in this behalf In the letter of 24th July 1926, one of the reasons advanced in support of the request for waiving of the centage charges on the Water Supply estimate is that the Municipality has to pay a sum of Rs 13,000 and the interest thereon to discharge the loan As stated by the General Secretary, there is no justification remitting this amount. The part of the request cannot be accepted.

(6) I read in the papers that the Board in their reply to the Municipal address did not promise favourable consideration of this proposal.

7.2.27

(After Sending file)
You may also send up a copy of the Secretary's speech at the Conference

RB 9/3.

(7) You may now move the Govt to the Board's letter for sanction to waiving of 50% of the charge vide para 3 of the Govt letter

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(8) Forwarded to the Board RB 9/3

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59 Returned, with compliments.

9) 2. An estimate amounting to Rs 2,53,479 was sanctioned by Government for the Chickmagalur Water Works. In this, provision for establishment and Tools and Plant charges were not included. The Municipality has to bear these charges under the Codal rules and at 18 per cent on the Municipal share of the estimate, viz., Rs 1,26,740, the charges would come up to Rs 22,806. Thus the total amount that the Municipality has to bear is Rs 1,26,740 + 22,806 or Rs 1,49,546 As per works actually carried out, the amount of the estimate including Establishment and Tools and Plant charges is Rs 2,19,787 made up of Rs 2,19,787 on works and Rs 21,788 towards Establishment and Tools and Plant charges and the amount that the Municipality has to bear is only Rs 1,31,072 one half of the works outlay viz Rs 2,19,787/2 = 1,09,894 plus the Establishment and Tools and Plant charges Rs [illegible] or much less than what was actually due. Thus the Municipality need not put forward any excuses to pay up the amount so long as they are not asked to bear any extra amount.

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3. The Municipality now requests that they may be asked to bear only half the cost of the work portion of the estimate and the Establishment and Tools and Plant charges be remitted. If such a concession is shown to one Municipal body other

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municipalities will claim similar concession. Further the total cost of the establishment of the Sanitary and Town planning Division has to be met by such establishment charges and if these charges are waived in the manner indicated it will not be possible to meet the cost of the Division and funds for which will have to be found from other sources.

5) If Government have promised favourable consideration perhaps half the amount may be waived.

Secretary to Government,
P. W. Department.

Bangalore,
April 1927.

P.W.D.

5) It is for orders if the Rs. 5 Half Lacs, Enough Scheme Division Rs. 15.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
KADUR DISTRICT

Dated Chikmagalur 8th May 1926.

Enc ~~1 letter~~ { one letter
one copy of Resolution
one letter to the President

From

R. Heblikar, Esq, B A , LL B ,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District

To

B Nagappa, Esq, Bar-at-Law ,
Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
Local & Legislative Departments, *Bangalore*

SIR

In forwarding herewith, in original, letter No H C 85/25-26 dated 22-1-1926 together with its enclosure, received from the President, Chickmagalur Town Municipality, regarding the duplicate main for water supply, and also drainage of Chickmagalur town, I have the honor to state that the Municipality proposes to place a sum of Rs 37,000/- made up of Rs 30,000/- being the savings out of the amount sanctioned for the existing water supply works, and Rs 7,000/- sanctioned for drainage works in the current years budget, for the schemes aforesaid I request therefore that you will be so good as to move the Government to kindly sanction their quota of an equal sum viz, Rs 37,000/- so that the drainage Works may be taken on hand at once

2 As to the resolution of the Municipal Council re the restoration of the old reservoir, I may state that the fears of the Council that there will be shortage of water if the pipe line is duplicated towards the tail end are quite unfounded There has bee so far ~~not only~~ GMS no shortage either for the town supply or for agricultural purposes inspite of failure of Mungar rains this year In m opinion, there will be no shortage even if even three or four times the present quantity of water is supplied to the town for domestic

purposes I would suggest that the Chief Engineer should be requested to go into the question again if the Municipal Council again desire to utilize the old reservoir I have personally explained th matter to them at a subsequent meeting and they have consented to drop it for the present

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District

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OFFICE OF THE TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
CHIKMAGALUR

Dated 22nd January 1926

From B. Keshavaiya, Esquire,
President
Town Municipal Council,
Chikmagalur.

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To B. Nagappa, Esquire, Bar-at-law,
Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative
Departments Bangalore

G B Neblikar, Esquire, B A L L B, Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District

Sir

In submitting herewith the file of correspondence pending with Kadur District Deputy Comissioner's letter No H C.211/25-26 dated 3-12-25 and a copy of resolution of the council thereon for favor of perusal and orders, in the matter of laying a separate Water Main and Drainage to the Chikmagalur town, I have the honour to state as follows.-

WATER MAIN

As the council is given to understand that in summer the flow of water in the channel will be so small that it will not suffice either for agricultural purposes or for the supply of drinking water to the town, and the ryots believe that a duplicate main from the existing source of water supply would seriously interfere with their rights to get water to the old fields, they resolved that a separate water main from the Old Reservoir to the new Filterbeds should be laid out at once to improve the existing supply of water to the town.

DRAINAGE

Since the Drainage Project as now prepared by the Sanitary Engineer is estimated to cost about 5 lakhs of rupees and the municipalcouncil is not at present in a position to take it up on a large scale, the council propose to divide the town into several convenient parts and spread over a number of years and work it out each year as far as the funds become available both from municipal revenues and the Government grant in equal proportions

they observe that there is a savings of Rs.30000/- out of the amount sanctioned for the existing water supply works and provision of Rs 7000 sanctioned for drainage works in the current year's municipal budget

They consider that if this sum of Rs 7000/- allotted for drainage is added to the said savings of Rs 30000/-, they will have at their credit a sum of Rs 37000/- being their quota of cost of these schemes for the first year and the Government will have make a grant of an equal sum as prayed for in the resolution towards share of the cost of these works for the first year

Thus a sum of Rs.74000/- will be available for the first year to carry out the works in question.

In this connection, I beg to invite the kind referer of Government to the latter part of the resolution wherein the counc resolve to spend on the proposed separate water main, only so much of the amount as is required for it, the balance being made use of for the drainage works for the first year

In these circumstances, I submit that the Government may be pleased to accord sanction to the proposals of the council and to make a grant of Rs.37000/- being their quota for the first year of the cost of the above works

As regards other details about the schemes, the resolu of the council and the letter of the Deputy Commissioner (encl herein), will speak to themselves

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant

President, Municipal Council
Chikmagalur

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OFFICE OF THE TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
CHIKMAGALUR

DATED....24th July 1926

From

The President,
Town Municipal Council,
Chikmagalur.

To

B.Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law,
Secretary to Government,
Local and Legislative Departments,
Bangalore

Through,

The Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

Sir,

Adverting to letter No.1528 dated the 16th June 1926 received from the Executive Engineer, Special Water Supply -- Construction Division, demanding payment of ₹ 11,537/- as due from this Municipal Council towards the establishment and Tools & Plant charges at 18% on the outlay of the Scheme of the New Water Supply to Chikmagalur Town, I have the honour to state that the estimate sanctioned by Government in their Order No. 9890 dated the 28th February 1920 was for ₹ 2,53,479/- of this one half to be met from the State Funds while the other half from the Municipality. As per accounts finally furnished by the Executive Engineer, Special Water Supply Division, the actual outlay of the Scheme was ₹ 2,19,774/- only. But the -- Municipal Council had already contributed ₹ 1,18,600/- that is an excess of ₹ 8,713/- In doing this, the Municipality not only exhausted all its resources, but was also forced to raise a second loan of ₹ 17,800/- towards the construction of the -- present Scheme. On this the Municipality is paying an annual interest of ₹ 1,246/- at 7% besides setting apart a Sinking -- Fund of ₹ 2,667/- year after year.

2. In spite of this, it may be stated that the supply

of water to the town at present from the new Water Supply Scheme is still inadequate, the Municipal Council have again to devise measures for increasing the supply of water so as to meet the larger demand of the population of the town. -- This necessarily requires further outlay. In this connection, I may state that the Municipality had originally raised a -- loan of ₹ 66,634/- in the year 1894 towards the old Water -- Supply scheme Since then it has been paying an annual --- instalment of ₹ 3,300/- (including principal and interest at 4%) The Municipality has still to pay a sum of ₹ 13,078/- with interest thereon to discharge the old loan.

3. There is an other item of expenditure obligatory on the Municipality which has to be urgently attended to- that is- "Drainage". In respect of this, a reference has already been made to you soliciting the financial assistance of Government to undertake the Scheme

4. In these circumstances, the Municipal Council at their meeting convened on have resolved to approach the benign Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore to order (1) to waive the demand now made by the Executive Engineer, Special Water -- Construction Division and (2) to refund the excess payment of -- ₹ 2,713/- referred to in para 1 above.

5. A copy of the resolution of the Municipal Council --- together with a copy of the Executive Engineer's letter No.1526 dated 16th June 1926 is herewith submitted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

President,
Town Municipal Council,
Chikmagalur.

No 1528

Executive Engineer's Office
Special Water Supply Construction Divn
Bangalore dated 15/16-6-1926

To

The President
Town Municipal Council
Chikmagalur

Sir,

With reference to your No 2042/25-26 dated 29-5-1926 in respect of the demand made for the establishment and tools and plant charges at 18 per cent on the outlay of the scheme of improvement of water supply to Chikmagalur town I have the honour to state that though there is no provision in the estimate sanctioned by the Government in the year 1920 yet there is no express sanction of the Government exempting the levy of these charges at the prescribed per centage under the Codal rules In the absence of specific orders to support the levy being waived it is neither permissable nor right in procedure to drop the demand however old the liability may appear to be

As the omission to provide for these charges in the original estimate was observed to have not been covered by due orders a modified estimate including due provisions thereof is now before the Government awaiting sanction

If the Council feels and considers that these charges cannot be borne by the Municipal funds for satisfactory and convincing reasons the matter may be placed before the Government for necessary orders to exempt the levy and on receipt of express sanction thereto I have no objection to withdraw the demand but as it is I regret very much that the claim cannot be withdrawn

The balance of contribution may therefore be kindly arranged to be paid immediately and if Government pass orders exempting the charges refund will then be made

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

Sd/ H J Marker
Executive Engineer,
Construction, UD

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Municipal Council,

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Sd/- B Kesavaiya,
President,
municipal council
Chikmagalur

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No. H.C. 211/25-26

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District

Enc. Nil

Dated, Chikmagalur, 23rd December 1925.

From

G.B.Heblikar, Esq., B A , LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

To

The President,

Chikmagalur Municipal Council,

Chikmagalur

Sir,

In continuation of this office No.H.C.211/25-26 dated 25th November 1925 forwarding copy of Government Order No.L 3383-5/Ml 67-24-16 dated 9th November 1925 regarding the Chikmagalur Town WaterSupply works, I have the honor to invite your attention to para 2 of the above said Government --- Order and to state that the savings of Rs 30,000/- shown therein may be -- partly utilized towards the construction of the 1st instalment of the drainage works and partly towards the laying of a double main towards the tail end of the main pipe line. This, will give an increased supply of -- water which may be any thing between 15 to 20 per cent of the existing supply as this is a town likely to grow in importance and population in the near future.

2. I would suggest that the Municipal Council should pass the --- drainage and duplicating the mains of Water Supply works schemes and -- intimate to Government these resolutions. If the sum of Rs 7,000/- now -- allotted for drains is added, the Municipal share of the cost of these -- schemes would be Rs 37,000/- for the first year The Government will have to to make a grant of an equal amount. A sum of Rs 74,000/- would thus be -- available which will be more than sufficient to carry out, the entire conservancy drains and duplicating the main pipe line for at least a mile at

at the tail end This last will, I am sure, increase the existing Water Supply by at least 15 per cent

3 The above subjects may kindly be placed before the Municipal Council in the light of the above remarks at its next meeting and their decision communicated to me

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District

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MYSORE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
CENTRAL OFFICE.

No. 2775

Dated Bangalore, 7 September 1926.

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FROM

JOHN BHORE, Esq., A.M.I.C.E.,
Chief Engineer of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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8 SEP 1926
G. D. SECTION.

To

B. Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law.,
Secretary to Government,
Local and Legislative Departments,
Bangalore

Sir

Adverting to G.O.No.R.5536-8/M1.18-19-11 dated the 8th November 1920, sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs 2,53,479 for improving water supply to Chickmagalur Town, I have the honour to forward herewith for approval of Government a modified estimate amounting to Rs 2,41,555 as per work actually executed with Establishment and Tools & Plant charges in accordance with the orders of Government regarding the works in the Special Water Supply Construction Division and Public Works Secretary's No.37 dated the 16th October 1926 addressed to the Comptroller of Mysore (copy enclosed).

2. The net savings in the estimate is Rs 11,936.

3. The report accompanying explains the details of the works carried out.

4. The sanctioned estimate &c., together with a copy of Executive Engineer's No.435 dated the 19th February 1926 also accompany.

5. Approval of Government may kindly be obtained to the modified estimate at an early date.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Chief Engineer of Mysore

V.W.S.

Letter No 425 dated 19th February 1926, from the Executive Engineer, Water Supply Construction Division, to the Chief Engineer of Mysore.

I have the honour to submit herewith for favour of kind sanction and early return modified abstracts of estimates along with a comparative statement and a report in duplicate for improving the water supply to Chickmagalur Town which as per modifications and additions approved and sanctioned from time to time, has since been executed satisfactorily, and the completed work handed over to the Municipality for future upkeep as already reported in this office No 213 dated the 14th October 1925

Though all the excesses, under detailed items of sub works of the project as originally sanctioned, due to modifications and additions found necessary during execution, have been covered by due sanction, the submission of this complete set of modified abstracts is necessitated on account of debits raised to an extent of Rs 21,788 towards Establishment and Tools and Plant charges at 18 per cent in accordance with latest orders contained in P W Secretary's No P W 37 dated 14th October 1924.

The credit of Rs 23,000 provided for in the original project to represent the cost of pipes removed from old works, was not afforded as most of the removed pipes were used upon the work and the balance handed over to the Municipality, whose property they were.

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The total net outlay compared with the total net amount of the sanctioned project leaves a net savings of Rs 11,924

The favour of early sanction to the modified abstracts is solicited.

The original sanctioned estimates as well as those approved from time to time are, as detailed in the margin als

submitted herewith.

"True copy"

For Chief Engineer of Mysore

V W S.6th

Letter No P W C 37 dated the 14th October 1924 from the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, to the ------ Comptroller of Mysore, through the Financial Secretary to ----- Government

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With reference to your letter No 152/W A D Mis dated the 10th September 1925 to the address of the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Irrigation, in re the accounting of charges incurred in the Special Water Supply Construction ---- Division on account of establishment, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the expenditure of the Water Supply --- Construction Division being booked separately under establishment and works and to the present practice of charging the usual fixed 17½ per cent on works outlay to contribution works and distributing the net establishmon charges pro rata to State Fund works -- being discontinued

2 The establishment sanctioned for Sanitary works, viz , ---- one overseer and six suboverseers, is ret out of the general ---- establishment and is not an additional est blishment

3 With reference to remarks in para 6 of your letter, the --- Chief Engineer will be requested to submit a report on the point raised for submission to Government

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" Copy "

M Narasimha Rao

for Chief Engineer of Mysore ,

Report to accompany the modified --- Estimate for Improving the Water Supply to Chickmagalur Town.

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INTAKE WITH JELLY DRAIN DUCT.

In the original sanctioned ~~estimate~~ project, there is a lumpsum of Rs.10,000/- provided for this item. A detailed estimate for Rs.8,300/- was however approved in --- Chief Engineer's No.B 2274 dated 27-8-23; during execution, it was found necessary to raise the walls of the Jelly duct and the intake cistern so as to keep them above the high flood level of the stream to prevent - water from leaking in the joints between the covering slabs &c. A slight excess was -- therefore necessary and the work has been -- satisfactorily completed at a cost of --- Rs.8,007/-.

Again, a portion of the consignment of pipes required for the delivery main was -- received at Chickmagalur long before the -- balance could be had, and since the town was suffering under a great scarcity of water, it was considered advisible to construct a temporary Head Works at the intermediate -- point where the stream could be tapped and an intake cistern was constructed at a cost of Rs.1,987/-, by adopting this temporary -- measure, the town was being supplied with about 40 % of the total designed supply for a period of nearly 18 months before the --- works were completed.

Taking these together, the outlay is Rs.4,994/- as against the sanctioned provi-

sion

of Rs 10,000/- resulting in a saving of Rs 5,006/-

DELIVERY MAIN

(a) Earthwork and labour charges:-

The sanctioned estimates provides a lumpsum of Rs 3/- per Rft of 5" main and Rs 2/- per Rft of 4" main, thus amountin to Rs 48,564/-

Detailed estimates for this were got --- approved and owing to the locality being - Malnad, nobody tendered for the work and the same was given to a plumber He compl, ted the work as far as the intake cistern and demanded much higher rates for the f ther work since his rates were prohib ive, the further work was got done by t work at rates approved by the Chief En

The total outlay is Rs ~~17,700~~ 17720/- against the sanctioned provision of --- Rs 48,564/- resulting in a saving of - - Rs ~~30,795~~ 30646/-

(b) Cost of pipes and fittings:- Un the cost of Cast Iron pipes and fittings there has been en excess of Rs ~~11,705~~ 11699/- The materials were purchased after call for tenders and the excess was inevitab

The other works such as masonry - supports &c , have all been executed or approved estimates & a saving of Rs. ~~17,91~~ 17800/ has been effected

Taking the delivery main as a whc there has been a savings of Rs. ~~20,243~~ 20925/- compared with the sanctioned estimate

FILTER BEDS & SERVICE RESERVOIR.

The sanctioned estimates provides Rs.38,660/- for these, but subsequently, the design was altered, notch cisterns were proposed to be constructed with each unit of the filter so as to enable the supply at any moment to be gauged and estimates amounting to Rs.48,790/- were got approved from time to time. But, during execution, it was found that sand suited for filtration could not be had at any spot nearer than about 11 miles from the filters and a high rate had of necessity to be paid for the collection and carting of this article though the greatest care and economy were exercised and the work was done ---- amani.

The total excess as compared with the sanctioned estimate is Rs.14,193/- and is caused as explained above.

DISTRIBUTION.

The sanctioned estimate provided an amount of Rs.79,704/- for this work.

Accurate data were worked out for all the items of work and a detailed estimate for Rs.45,780/- was got approved in Chief Engineer's No.3557 dated 5-10-23. These were executed at a cost of Rs.[illegible]. Besides this, the water supply to Hiremagalur - a work not provided in the sanctioned project - was undertaken and completed at a cost of Rs.3,621/- .

In spite of this extra work, there has been a saving of Rs.40,350/- in this item.

MOTOR MAN SHED.

An amount of Rs.1,810/- was provided in the sanction [illegible]

the design was just before execution improved and a modified estimate amounting to -- Rs.2,480/- was approved by the Chief Engineer in his No.3058 dated 1-5-28. The work was executed on the task work system at an outlay of Rs.2,555/-. There has thus been an excess of Rs.1,083/- over the sanctioned estimate and was caused by the alteration in the design.

MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES.

These consist of:-

Survey charges	...	Rs.940
Temporary establishment.		918
Materials handed over to Municipality	...	798
		2656

There is a provision of Rs.15,403 in the sanctioned project, under contingencies and all the above have to be met from it. The survey charges were for the necessary setting out of the work A watchman was entertained to look after the Government materials and when the works were in progress, a temporary mistry also was employed. The pay of these appears under temporary establishment.

All the G. I. and G. I fittings that were lying over after the completion of the works have been handed over to the Municipality and their cost is debited to the Municipal share of the work. These materials are neccessarily required by the Municipality for effecting repairs from time to time.

ESTABLISHMENT TOOLS & PLANT.

No establishment Tools and Plant charges were provided in the sanctioned project. But according to Government (Pr No. P.W.27 dated 14-10-[illegible] Accts

instructions in the matter of levy of these charges on all municipal works They have been calculated on the total Municipal shar of the outlay and on the Government share -- in curred from 23-24 The charges amount to Rs.21,788/- and have to be met from the --- general savings of the project

Thus, taking the project as a whole, the works have been completed with an outla, of Rs ~~2,41,637~~ 241355/- against the sanctioned --- amount of Rs 2,81,573/-

But, in the sanctioned project, an -- amount of Rs 28,000/- has been deducted fro the total amount under "deduction for old - materials removed from works and for deviation in rates" As a matter of fact, nearl 3000 Rft of old 6" C I pipes were found - surplus; these have been handed over to t Municipality, but no amount could be real ed on this, since the pipes already belor to them

Again, the figures given against the - cost of materials are the actual cost paid and hence no figure can be shown against t anticipated reduction in market value

The deduction of Rs 28,000/- in the - estimate has thus no point in it, except that it was probably made to reduce the - total amount of the project

On the whole, there has been a net - saving of Rs ~~11,942~~ 11924/- after meeting the - Establishment Tools and Plant charges am -ing to Rs 21,788/- and after extendin

the distribution mainx as far as Hiremagalur

It is requested that sanction to the modified ~~revised~~ estimate may kindly be accorded to regularise the accounts.

Executive Engineer,
Spl W S Constn Division

Bangalore,
18th Feb 1928

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Proceedings of the Govt of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore

Read

G O. No R 5536-8-Ml 18-19-11 dated the 8th November 1926 sanctioning an estimate for Rs 2 53,479/- for improving the water supply to Chikmagalur Town

2 Letter No H C 211 dated 8th May 1926 from the D C. Kadur District, submitting proposals made by the Municipal Council, Chikmagalur, for running a duplicate main to augument the town's water supply, and for a local drainage project

3 Letter No H C 8 dated the 24th July 1926 from the President, Municipal Cl Chikmagalur Town received from the Deputy Commr Kadur District, requesting that the claims preferred by the Executive Engr Special Water Supply Construction Division for tools and plant charges on the Chikmagalur Water Supply project may be waived and that Rs 8,713 nearly, contributed by the Ml Cl in excess of the moiety due from it on the project may be refunded

4. Letter No 2775 dated 7-9-1926 from the Chief Engineer of Mysore submitting for approval of Govt a modified estimate for the water supply works of the Chikmagalur Town amounting to Rs 2,41,555/- being the cost of work actually executed, including the establishment and tools and plant charges

Order No L 62-4 Pu 27-26-4

Dated: Bangalore, the 12th

The requests made by the Municipal Council in the cases are --

(a) Sanction to laying a separate water main from the old reservoir to the new filter beds for augumenting the Chikmagalur Water Supply to the town,

(b) Waiving establishment and tools and plant charges in connection with the water supply works,

(c) Sanction to the modified estimate for the improvement of Water Supply to the town

(d) Sanction to expedite the scrutiny of the drainage project to the town estimated to cost about Rs Five lakhs, the work being spread over a number of years, as funds become available

In repeating the requests for waiving the tools and plant charges during the recent visit of the Dewan to Chikmagalur, the Municipal Council also made a representation that a sum of Rs 13,000/- nearly equal to the balance still due out of the loan of Rs.66,434/- at 4 per cent borrowed from Govt in 1894 for a Water Supply Scheme be ordered to be written off the accounts so that that account could be adjusted without any further payment from the Municipality

2 The Chief Engineer is of opinion that there is no necessity to supplement the present source of supply Govt therefore consider it unnecessary to sanction the project for running a duplicate main

They are pleased to waive the establishment and tools and plant charges amounting to Rs 21,788/- in regard to the Water Supply Works and sanction the modified project at a cost of Rs 219,767/-

In view of

3 In view of the concession shown in regard to the tools and plant charges it is not possible to further write off Rs 13,000/- out of the balance of the old loan as requested by the Municipality

4 The Chief Engineer is requested to expedite the scrutiny of the drainage project Proposals for financing the Scheme will be considered when it is ready

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General Secretary to Govt

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To

The Deputy Commissioner Kadur Dt
" Comptroller to Govt THRO' Financial Secretariat
" Chief Engineer with revised estimate

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